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## A GREAT EVENT.

### Rockingham County Republicans At Hampton Beach.

### 'Twas Their Annual Outing And Ladies' Day.

### Many Prominent Men Present, And Interesting Addresses Given.

Hampton Beach, August 15.—The Rockingham County Republican club held its annual outing and ladies' day meeting here today. There was a large attendance and nearly 200 were seated in the upper dining halls of the Casino at dinner.

The after dinner exercises were conducted by President Albert T. Severance. He announced that Senator Jacob A. Gallinger was unable to be present as he had gone to Michigan to attend the funeral of Senator McMillan. He also stated that the yearly meeting of the club would be held in September and it probably would take place at Exeter. After the few customary remarks he introduced Senator Henry Burnham.

As Dr. Severance had said that the meeting was purely a social affair and politics were to be left out altogether, Mr. Burnham said he was somewhat at a loss to know what to talk about. He declared that all the leading men of the democratic party were leaving the party for the republican side. He spoke of Hampton Beach as "the summer capital of New Hampshire." He upheld Cuba and stated that at the next session of congress justice and moral obligations and duty would be paid out he believed to the Philippine government. He ended by declaring that the country was safe and that President Roosevelt would be reelected.

Hon. John G. Crawford followed. He spoke for prosperity. He said that if the working people of this country were not helped by congress there would be a revolution. He thought prosperity was the main issue. He believed in giving the people the right of self-government.

Congressman Sulloway's speech which followed, was in a different vein. He said the country was never so prosperous as now. There was great wealth and every comfort. He wished there were 1000 millionaires where there is one now. That would mean an increase to the wage earners. Some people are dissatisfied with the country. Why don't they get out? He would. His liked his position (Congress) and had made arrangements to stay there. He was an expansionist, even in his six feet, twelve inches in his stockings. He had done all he could do get the war with Spain and he was thankful. He believed Cuba should belong to us.

Ex-Senator Blair was the last speaker. He was an unexpected visitor but he consented to speak. Many republicans were divided, he said, on the different issues which did not amount to much but they would walk to the ballot box in solid rank. He was a believer in prohibition in New Hampshire. He said President Roosevelt would be re-elected.

Those in attendance included the leading politicians of the county, among whom were the following: Col. Rufus N. Elwell; State Senator Albert S. Wetmore; Register of Deeds, William Morris; Register of Probate, George F. Richards; President of the club, Dr. Albert T. Severance of Exeter; Congressman Cyrus A. Sulloway of Manchester; Treasurer W. H. C. Follansbee of Exeter; County Commissioners, Ceylon Spinney of Portsmouth; Joseph R. Rowe of Brentwood and John H. Griffin of Newmarket; John H. Bartlett of Portsmouth; E. P. Stoddard of Portsmouth; John Torrey, Newfield; Thomas H. Dearborn of Dover; Dr. Walker L. Allen of Hampstead; Albert S. Little of Atkinson; Selectman J. A. W. Green of Exeter; Frank L. Jewell and Hon. Benjamin L. Jewell, North Hampton; George A. Robinson of Brentwood; Richard Scammons of Stratham; Hon. John G. Crawford of Manchester; Joseph Hart of Brentwood; Hon. John Sanborn of Hampton Falls; Harry Brown, N. H. of Hampton; George S. Leavitt of Exeter; ex-Senator Henry A. Blair of Manchester; County Collector John W. Keily of Portsmouth; William H. Topping of Manchester; ex-Commissioner George W. Paul of Newfields; Senator Henry E. Burnham of Manchester; Ernest W. New-

man of the Manchester News; Representative Edward E. Howell of Exeter; W. L. Piper of Auburn; Senator Rollins of Derry; J. M. Caswell of Newmarket; Arthur E. Hoy of Plaistow; Judge Alfred D. Emery of Auburn; Sheriff M. M. Collins of Portsmouth; Col. A. A. Collins of Danville; Hon. John H. Noyes of Plaistow; William D. Corcoran of Windham.

### A SOLID MAN.

Capt. George N. Shepard of Epping observes his 78th birthday.

Capt. George N. Shepard, one of the most prominent citizens of Epping, was seventy-eight years old on Thursday, and received many congratulations and birthday greetings at his pleasant home in West Epping.

He was born in Epping, August 14, 1824, the son of Samuel and Hannah S. (Norris) Shepard, three generations of his ancestors having been prominent in the town. He lost his father at the age of eleven, but acquired a fair education in the public schools of Epping and Dover and at Hampton academy. In early life he taught school and found lucrative avocations as a conveyancer and in the transactions of probate court business. Farming has always been one of his pursuits.

From 1862 to the close of the civil war he served in the 11th N. H. regiment, enlisting as 1st lieutenant and rising to a captaincy. He was wounded at Fredericksburg and at Cold Harbor.

After the war he returned to Epping and engaged in general trade and lumbering. He still does much business in the settlements of estates and is a recognized leader in all town affairs.

A republican, he represented Epping in 1860-2, has been many terms postmaster and has served repeatedly upon the school board and as school treasurer. He is a zealous member of the Congregational church.

December 30, 1845, he married Miss Rowena L. Thynge, daughter of Dudley Thynge of Deerfield, and the happy union is still unbroken. Much was made of their golden wedding in 1895. Capt. and Mrs. Shepard have one son, Rev. Herman T. Shepard, a Congregational minister in the west.

### REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham for the week ending August 13, as recorded in the registry of deeds:

Epping—Currier & Bryant, Amesbury, Mass., to Josiah Dearborn, land, \$1—Last grantee to wife and two daughters, land, \$1.

Hampton—Guardian of Everett W. Drake, Kittery, Me., to Annie M. Drake, one-fourth certain premises, \$125—Charles F. Drake, Eliot, Me., to last grantee, land, \$125—Alberto Smithson, Dracut, Mass., to Eliza Pressey, Lawrence, rights in leased land and house at beach, \$120.

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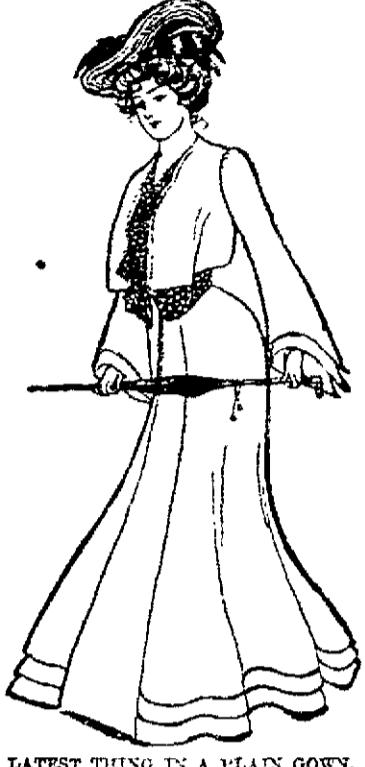
## GOWNS OF THE DAY.

SMART COSTUMES WORN BY RIVER, HILL AND SHORE.

Markedly New Points in the Latest Frock—The Narrowest of Plain Fronts—Elaboration at the Hem—The Multiplication of Skirts.

Gowns more or less on the sash model for the river and the shore, though among the important fashions of the day. The toilet in special demand must be a smart one, which will bear at once the scrutiny of critical eyes and the chance exercisers of the weather.

Bearing these latter in mind, experience dictates wood as the principal factor. Silk, flax or cotton or mixtures of any of them are perfectly charming where neither crushing nor splashes have to be taken into consideration, but the effect on the daint-



LATEST THING IN A PLAIN GOWN.

est toilet of either after some hours of a somewhat cramped posture in a boat or the mildest impromptu shower bath has been encountered is distinctly uninviting. Also wisdom advises the adoption of some form of bolero or coat worn over the thinness of silk slips, for sudden chills or unexpected winds are apt to come up.

Two marked features in the latest gowns are evident to the observant eye. The first is the prevalence of the narrowest of plain front gowns in skirts, elaboration at the hem in the shape of flounces, strappings, embroideries or, newest of all, an apparent multiplication of underskirts, starting from either side of it. The second is the rage for little inner vests to open coats of all descriptions, these latter sometimes taking the form of practically a straight, narrow slip, almost after the fashion of an officer's mess jacket, sometimes formed practically into a cravat.

Very charming is the effect of the accompanying sketch, which shows both these details carried out in white serge or cloth with the knotted cravat vest in pale blue silk spotted with white and a corseted belt of the same and one which, while keeping on lines of almost militaristic simplicity, yet strikes a note of reasonable smartness. The skirt has its plain unbroken front gore cut to spread gracefully at the feet and forms at the sides and back two simulated underskirts. The back is absolutely plain at the waist, the extreme curve in sewing the braids on the net, as the slightest drawing or puckering ruins the work instantly. Should more elaborate work be required cobwebs around the border, cutting the web from under the stitches, produce a lovely effect.



SMART HANGING GOWNS.

The sleeves are of the new hanging shape, with simulated undersleeves to correspond with the skirt.

Less on the tailor made and workaday order is the sensible gown of the second cut, which is by no means limited to the sphere of usefulness indicated by its name. Its diamond lace and narrow velvet ribbon garniture illustrate two very favorite items of fashion in general.

This gown is of geranium red velvet, emblazoned or fouldred, lined with white taffeta and set off with spaced set of tucks and graduated diamond lozenges. Uncommon three-quarter sleeves fit tight from shoulder to elbow and fall very full down to the long kid gloves. The pointed belt is of white moire to harmonize in color with the lace.

## FRUIT CANNING.

Easy Home Methods—Going by Measure Rather Than Weight.

Many housekeepers prefer to go by measure rather than by weight when canning fruit for winter. In some instances indeed this is a matter of comparison rather than preference, as not every kitchen can boast of a pair of scales among its furnishings. Most of the recipes given for preparing fruit state one or more of the ingredients to be weighed, but the directions referred to here from Table Talk are restricted to measures as much as possible.

Blackberries and blueberries require a cupful each of water and sugar to every quart of fruit by actual measurement. Make a thin syrup of the water and one-half the sugar. When it boils, skim and add the fruit. Let it simmer gently for five minutes, add the rest of the sugar, let it come to a boil again, can and seal at once. Press the berries gently under the syrup while cooking, but do not break or mash them. Add the juice of a lemon to every three quarts of blueberries. Can elderberries exactly as directed for blueberries, only omitting half the amount of water.

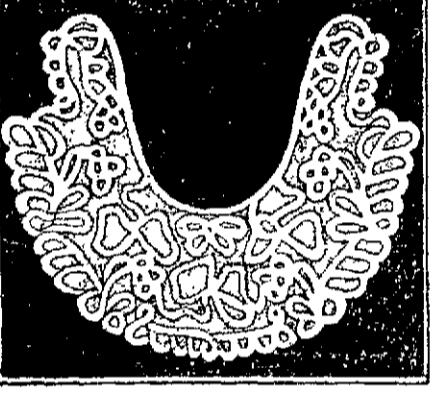
Tomatoes, green gages and yellow gages require a cupful and a half of sugar to each quart of fruit. Puncture each plum two or three times with a darning needle, place in layers with the sugar and let stand over night. In the morning bring slowly to the boiling point and let simmer until the fruit is tender, but not broken; skim and seal.

Peaches should be thinly pared or skinned in boiling water, halved, stoned and thrown into cold water. For every four quarts of peaches make a syrup with two cupfuls of sugar and four cupfuls of water. When it boils, drain the peaches from the cold water, put them in the syrup, bring it quickly to the boiling point, then remove to the back of the range and let simmer very gently until tender, but not soft. Seal at once.

In canning pears use the same proportions of fruit, sugar and water as directed for peaches. Pare and halve the pears and cook them in boiling water until tender, then drain and add them to the boiling syrup. Let simmer for five minutes and seal.

An Easily Made Lace Collar.

For summer use turndown and broad, flat collars have become quite fashionable. A design for one which is particularly of interest to the novice



NET AND POINT COLLAR.

In lace-making because it gives a pretty effect without much work is reproduced from Good Housekeeping.

The net should be carefully basted on the pattern. Then follow the pattern carefully with the braid, basting first. Use 200 thread and a short, fine needle to sew the braid on with. Use extreme care in sewing the braids on the net, as the slightest drawing or puckering ruins the work instantly. Should more elaborate work be required cobwebs around the border, cutting the web from under the stitches, produce a lovely effect.

**Phine Drudgery.**

The practice of scales, arpeggios and five finger exercises is counted drudgery by most young students of the piano, and because they hate exercises and neglect their practice we have many unfinished pianists whose playing might give more pleasure to themselves and others if they could learn to make this drudgery a pleasure.

Young people, you should put love in all that you do. "How can I love what I hate and despise?" you ask. This seems a paradox, yet it is not impossible. By doing everything as well as it can be done or at least as well as it is possible for you to do it at that time you will gradually learn to love your task.

The reason of this is not hard to find. When we aim at perfection, we aspire. Aspiration is the attitude in which we should live, and it brings us rewards that others never know. Many would like to do great things well, but not many are willing to try to do small things well, while alone makes it possible to do great things well—Etude.

**Cream Filling For Chocolate Cake.**

For a delightful chocolate cream filling for layer cake try the following: One and a quarter squares of chocolate, one cupful of sugar, three quarters of a cupful of flour, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of salt, two cupfuls of milk, two eggs and a teaspoonful of vanilla. Melt the chocolate in a double boiler; mix the sugar and flour, salt and milk, and add the two eggs slightly beaten. Cook the mixture fifteen minutes in a double boiler, then add the chocolate and one teaspoonful of vanilla. When cold, spread between the layers of cake.

**Blackberry Jam.**

Allow three-quarters of a pound of sugar to a pound of berries. Put the berries in a preserving kettle, mash them until enough juice flows to prevent burning, then heat slowly and mash until all are broken. Cook twenty minutes, then add the sugar and cook ten minutes longer. Put into small jars or tumblers and seal.

**Beets For Winter Use.**

Beets sown in the earlier parts of August will make nice tender roots for keeping over winter, but they may run smaller than those generally in use for that season.

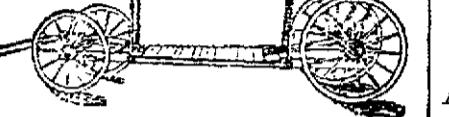
## FARM FIELD AND GARDEN

### FILLING THE SILO.

Modern Machinery For Quick Work Wagon With Low Rack.

Siло filling, like threshing, requires a considerable force of help in order that the work may move along in an economical manner. There comes a time when the corn is ready and just ripe to go into the silo, and this condition does not extend over very many days, especially if the weather be hot and dry, as it is very liable to be at that time of the year with us, and the sooner the corn can be got into the silo the better. I think, therefore, it is wise to push the silo filling along as rapidly as possible when it is started, says L. H. Adams of Wisconsin in American Agriculturist.

As to the machinery for silo filling, it has now been developed to such an extent that no trouble will be experienced in obtaining a satisfactory cutter from among the large number of



LOW WAGON FOR SILAGE CORN.

really good ones on the market. The main thing is to have plenty of reserve force and strength in this class of machinery if one would avoid delays and annoyances that result from insufficient capacity, breakage, etc. My cutter is driven by a ten horse power electric motor, and we cut the corn as fast as two teams can comfortably deliver it by using three wagons. I have handled fifty tons in a day of ten hours at a cost for men and teams of about 40 cents per ton.

In the field one man with team cuts and binds the corn with a harvester. It is taken up as fast as possible and placed on wagons with low racks, as shown in the illustration. The two stringers in this rack are 4 by 8 inches and either eighteen or twenty feet long, as desired, swung under the front axle by a lengthened king bolt provided with a nut and washer, and from the hind axle by three-quarter inch rods provided with nut and washer below and hook above, which hang from the bolster. The stringers are twenty inches apart, outside measure, in front, and a short reach keeps the hounds from tripping up. To prevent the king bolt breaking by twisting it is sometimes made in two parts, the pieces being held together by eyes.

### WINTER VETCH.

A Fine Forage Crop—Sow Any Time From Aug. 1 to October.

Winter vetch, *Vicia villosa*, is an interesting legume that has appeared under a variety of names. It is often called hairy vetch and sand vetch. Some have called it Russian vetch, probably because it originated in Russia. The seeds of this plant are small, black, hard spheres resembling sweet pea seeds. The growing plant also bears a close resemblance to sweet pea up to the time it blossoms, when a field of vetch appears as a sea of beautiful, bluish purple clustered flowers. The plant is a branching, climbing vine, a great many of its branches attaining a length of seven to ten feet. A full grown crop even in three foot rows forms a dense mat, completely covering the ground to the depth of one to two feet. When grown with a crop of wheat, rye or other strong growing plant, it is kept entirely above the ground.

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It is found, too, that the quantity of seed necessary can be economized by sowing with some other crop. A mixture of half oats and half vetch for spring sowing and a similar mixture of wheat or rye with the vetch for fall sowing have proved to be successful combinations for sowing and hay.

Our observation leads us to recommend the use of winter wheat instead of rye for fall sowing, because the latter will ripen too early and not give the vetch sufficient time for mature growth. When sown with winter wheat for hay, the crop makes an excellent substitute for red clover and is ready to harvest as hay by the middle of June. —J. D. Towar, Michigan.

**Beets For Winter Use.**

Beets sown in the earlier parts of August will make nice tender roots for keeping over winter, but they may run smaller than those generally in use for that season.

## TRYING ORDEAL.

The Fattening Process of a Marriagesable Girl in Tunis.

The marriageable girl in Tunis has a trying ordeal to go through after her betrothal to the man of her choice, but whose choice is this? We are to be informed of the required sacrifice before the ceremony can take place.

As soon as the betrothal takes place she is taken to a room and there comes up till the fattening process is completed. So far have girls passed round her wrists and ankles and the task of her parents and future husband is to increase her bulk till her wrists and ankles fill up the shackles.

If the husband is a widower or has "discharged" his first wife, the girl has the shackles of the first spouse placed on her, and she must fill them out.

It takes a long time to do this as a rule, and sometimes it cannot be accomplished in spite of all efforts.

It is then open to the future husband to cry off the bargain or waive the condition. In the case of a bachelor he takes care to see that the bracelets and anklets are not too large—that is, if he is fond of the girl—but if he is forced into the marriage by his parents, he is a great stickler for custom. Stout girls are the more quickly snapped up in Tunis.—Pictorial Magazine.

### ALEXANDRIAN SCIENTISTS.

Among the great scientists of the Alexandrian school, or, rather, mathematicians, were Pappus, one of the greatest of ancient mathematicians; Theon, and his unfortunate daughter, the famous Hypatia—who appears to have been a better mathematician than her father—the story of whose life and tragic death is familiar through Kingsley's novel. Unfortunately none of her works is extant. She was the last of the Alexandrian philosophers who attained any fame. She lived about A.D.

Not only is this old university renowned for the impulse which it gave to science, but it also extended its protection and aid to literature, poetry and the fine arts. For example, Ptolemy Philadelphus did not consider it beneath him to count among his personal friends the poet Callimachus, the author of a treatise on birds, who honorably maintained himself by keeping a school at Alexandria. Among the most distinguished poets may be mentioned Lycophron, whose work "Cassandra" still remains, and Theocritus, whose exquisite bucolics prove how sweet a poet he was.

### HAT'S THANKS.

"My niece Mary was always a well meaning girl, but she would say the wrong thing almost every time," said the old gentleman to another, "and she's got a boy that's going to be her very counterpart."

The old gentleman's eyes twinkled, and his plain, good natured face was pucker'd with enjoyment as he drew from his pocketbook a small sheet of paper.

"I sent Hal a toy monkey that plays all kinds of pranks when it's wound up," said he, chuckling; "sent it to him for his birthday. Now, you listen to this letter of thanks I got from him today. He's just eight years old."

"Dear Uncle Ned—I am delighted with the monkey, thank you. It makes me think of you very often. And whenever mamma winds him up and he begins to jump mamma and I feel as if we were back at your house where all those toys are and mamma will look at the toy and say, 'That's your Uncle Ned all over.' Goodby from your grateful HAL."

—Pittsburg Bulletin.

### NET AND POINT COLLAR.

In lace-making because it gives a pretty effect without much work is reproduced from Good Housekeeping.

The net should be carefully basted on the pattern. Then follow the pattern carefully with the braid, basting first.

Use 200 thread and a short, fine needle to sew the braid on with. Use extreme care in sewing the braids on the net, as the slightest drawing or puckering ruins the work instantly.

Should more elaborate work be required cobwebs around the border, cutting the web from under the stitches, produce a lovely effect.

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### A SAMPLE.

Uncle (who had just entertained his nephew in a *Publique Restaurant*) Not bad dinner, *Publique Restaurant*.

Nephew (who had just eaten) First rate, *Publique Restaurant*. Toledo Blade.

**And They Are Obeyed.**

What are gravitation laws, pray?

Your mother's, my son; she always speaks them.—New York Press

## THE WHISTLE WAS SILENT.

Why His New Set of Teeth Didn't Help the Blower.

A small town in Posse, near the Siberian frontier, still keeps that relic of other centuries, the night watchman who calls the hours. One night the London Telegraph tells this remarkable story—one of these watchmen, an old worthy long in service, failed to blow his whistle when the clock struck the hour.

The burgomaster summoned the delinquent to account for his negligence. After some hesitation he declared that his last tooth had dropped out and that he could not hold in his mouth the official whistle.

A council was called, and the subject was gravely discussed. Finally one of the members said that he had heard of a dentist at Breslau who supplied artificial teeth. After long debate the council appropriated money to send the aged watchman to Breslau to get a set of new teeth.

In due time the watchman reported that his teeth had arrived. That night the burgomaster sat up to hear the result. To his astonishment there was no whistle at 10, 11 or at midnight. The next morning he summoned the watchman.

"You have got your teeth," he said indignantly. "Why do you not whistle as before?"



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SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 1892.

The Philadelphia Record has a story from Martinsburg, Pa., about a dairyman in that town losing thirteen Holstein cows that were at pasture in a meadow. It appears that some telephone men left thirty sticks of dynamite under a tree in the meadow, and when they looked for it failed to find it, and the grass in the vicinity was much trampled and torn up. Investigation developed that the cows found the dynamite and ate it, and liked it so well that they quarreled considerably over which one should have the most. To have made the story a real good one two of the cows should have got into a fight after eating the stuff, causing an explosion that scattered the combatants and their fellows all over the pasture; but instead of this they were all merely taken sick, and died within three hours. Thus is another comic paper stand-by retired from usefulness.

Gaylor and Greene, who it is charged were associated with Capt. Oberlin H. Carter of the army in stealing \$3,000,000 or so from the United States government by means of frauds in connection with harbor improvements at Savannah, and whose extradition from Canada the government has been trying to procure have been discharged from custody by Judge Caron of Quebec. This action of Judge Caron has been anticipated by all who have followed the affair along as reported in the papers, and fully justifies the eagerness of the alleged thieves and their counsel to get back to Quebec from Montreal, and the efforts of counsel for the United States to prevent their being taken back there. The judicial atmosphere of Quebec has never been identical to wholesale swindlers from other places who have brought their plunder along with them.

Clarence A. Adams, the "gentleman burglar" of Chester, Vt., who for more than twenty years carried on the robbery of stores, offices and dwellings in and near his home village while all the time maintaining the highest reputation as a man and citizen, pleaded guilty on Wednesday, and was sentenced to not less than nine nor more than ten years in state prison at hard labor. He got off easy; for had he been sentenced on all the counts of the indictment to which he pleaded guilty he would have received nearly a hundred years, and there was evidence to convict him of many other crimes besides. His counsel, after his plea of guilty was made, urged the court to grant the prisoner clemency on the ground of his reputed good character and his former high standing in the community. Whether this had any effect on the court or not, we cannot say, but it should have been a reason for greater severity of judgment. That the fellow was a consummate hypocrite as well as a daring thief was no palliative.

Daniel O'Connell, the famous Irish advocate and patriot, is credited with having said that a coach and four could be driven through any act of parliament ever passed. In this country it is recognized as being quite as effective to go around a law as to go through it, and a good deal easier. The legislature of South Carolina, thinking the population of the state would increase more rapidly if fewer pistols were carried, passed a law prohibiting the carrying of a pistol less than twenty inches long and weighing less than three pounds, also making it a misdeemeanor, punishable by a heavy fine or imprisonment, to sell or offer for sale pistols of less than the regulation length and weight. This law was expected to have a discouraging effect on the hip-pocket-battery habit in the nullification state, as such a blunderbuss could be carried comfortably only by being slung across the back, and if no other kind could be sold the number of weapons in daily use must soon decrease; but the dealers in firearms have found a way to nullify that law.

They advertise that while the law prohibits the sale of pistols of the kind ordinarily desired to commit murder with, and while they propose to obey the law, there is nothing in the law to prevent them from renting weapons of the conventional length and weight, and that they are ready to rent or lease such

weapons for a term of ten years, the cost of a ten-year lease being \$40 for such a pistol as used to be sold outright for \$10. As the lease contains no provision for the return of the weapons on the expiration of the term, the renting of a pistol does not greatly differ from buying or selling it, except in being legal. If the state courts sustain the arm dealers' interpretation of the anti-weapon carrying law, the South Carolina legislators will have to try again.

#### SNAP SHOTS.

General Grosvenor says that if the Cuban republic should reach out a hand to help he would step out into the water if need be and take her in. A number of people suspect that Mr. Grosvenor may as well go ahead and provide himself with rubber boots and a mackintosh.

While Richard Croker is attending to his dairy at Wantage, William S. Devery is trying to make a record as the great purveyor of the milk of human kindness.

Judge Pennington, after looking the strike situation over, must be forced to the conclusion that the governorship of Pennsylvania is no sinecure.

The races at Saratoga have been voted a great success. It is, as usual, hard to convert the men who "went broke" to this optimistic view.

Mr. Bryan's declaration that he will not be a candidate has not shocked any of the democratic leaders into insensibility. On the contrary, there seems to be an inclination in some quarters to prolong the applause.

The coal consumer who must meet an advance in prices must remember that the operators have experienced a great deal of annoyance and must get even with somebody.

Prince Chen's joke about "watered silk" after his yellow jacket was drenched in a rain storm may compel Minister Wu to look to his laurels as the mercury wag of the orient.

With so large a local supply constantly available, Venezuela makes a mistake in extending its quest for trouble beyond its own borders.

Ex-President Kruger is consistent in refusing to make the defeat of his dear old ambitions an occasion of social division.

It is becoming the custom for a politician who has troubles on his mind to tell them to a Chautauqua.

The resolutions adopted by the negro congress in Atlanta were wise and temperate. There is no rare problem between the better classes of whites and blacks, and both races gain when the better elements assert themselves.

Gen. Dick is reported to be the owner of a silver mine. The only hope for the general's enterprise seems to be an upward movement in the silver market.

Mr. Whitney may rest assured that in 1894 the democratic presidential lightning department will have no difficulty in locating quite a number of expectant rods.

Perhaps Jim Tillman of South Carolina can make satisfactory arrangements with Mary McLean to take charge of his existing department.

Notwithstanding his most earnest efforts, William Jennings Bryan finds it impossible to occupy as much space in the newspapers as is devoted to Theodore Roosevelt.

#### REVISED SCHEDULE.

Secretary Morse of the New England League has issued the following revised schedule for next week:

August 15. Lawrence at Dover. Fall River at Haverhill. Concord at Manchester. Lowell at Nashua.

Aug. 19.—Lowell at Fall River. Nashua at Dover. Manchester at Haverhill. Concord at Lawrence.

August 20.—Lowell at Fall River. Manchester at Lawrence. Nashua at Dover. Haverhill at Concord.

August 21.—Manchester at Concord. Haverhill at Nashua. Lowell at Lawrence.

August 22.—Manchester at Haverhill. Concord at Lawrence. Nashua at Fall River. Lowell at Dover.

August 23.—Manchester at Lawrence. Concord at Haverhill. Nashua at Fall River.

#### CONTRACTS AWARDED.

The total value of contracts awarded on new buildings and engineering enterprises throughout New England for the past week, as compiled by the F. W. Dodge company, approximates \$1,420,000 as against \$2,010,000 for the corresponding week last year, making a total of \$7,141,900 to date this year as against \$7,165,000 for the corresponding period last year.

About 27 per cent. of the contracts awarded are for new dwellings, apartments, hotels, etc., while 17 per cent. are for mills, factories and other manufacturing buildings.

All who attended the Portsmouth men's meeting report a large crowd and a fair time. Dover Democrat

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## BLOODCURDLING.

### Slopy To'd At Inquest By Boyd Perham.

### Accuses His Brother And A Woman Of Murder.

### Levi Perham Breaks Down And Con- fesses To His Guilt.

BENNINGTON, Vermont, August 15.—A startling story was brought out here today at an inquest held into the death of Marcus Rogers, whose body was found in the river here yesterday, when Levi Perham, aged nineteen, confessed that the man had been murdered, and implicated himself, and the wife of the dead man as participants in the crime.

Levi Perham, his brother Boyd, twenty-four years old, Mrs. Rogers and Miss Stella Bates were all placed under arrest as a result of the confession. The Bates woman is alleged to have obtained the chloroform with which the victim was first rendered unconscious.

Rogers and his wife quarreled frequently, and several months ago, Rogers separated from his wife and went to work at Hoosac Corners. His wife is alleged having since been living here with another man.

Rogers had his life insured for \$500 for his wife's benefit, and at the inquest this afternoon, Boyd Perham directly charged his brother and Mrs. Rogers with the crime of murder.

Boyd said Mrs. Rogers approached him a few days ago, and offered him the amount of her husband's insurance if he would go to Hoosac Corners and do away with him. Boyd refused to do it, but said that Mrs. Rogers exerted such an influence over his younger brother Levi that the latter agreed to lure Rogers to Bennington, where a trap had been set for him.

Rogers, he said, was enticed to Morgan's Grove Tuesday evening, where he met his wife and Levi Perham. The meeting appeared to be a friendly one, and under the impression that his companions were showing him a trick with ropes, Rogers allowed them to bind him hand and foot. When in this helpless condition, they chloroformed him, and threw him into the river.

To create the impression that he had committed suicide, they wrote a note to that effect, signed Rogers' name to it, and pinned it to his hat, where it was found later.

Perham's story created a sensation, and the excitement was in no wise modified when Levi Perham took the stand, at the conclusion of his brother's recital, and confessed that all that had been revealed against himself was true. The inquest closed, and the arrests followed immediately.

#### PRESIDENT'S NEW ORDER.

#### Names Of Soldiers Who Die In Philip- pines To Be Cabled Home.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., August 15.—The president today gave orders that hereafter the names of enlisted men who die in the Philippines must be cabled to this country once in every two weeks.

While it costs an average of \$1.50 to cable news to this country of the death of officers in the Philippines, it costs about \$30.00 for each enlisted man. This difference is due to the fact that the war department has code numbers for all its officers, while the names of enlisted men, together with their company, regiment, etc., must be sent in full.

#### DEPUTIES RELEASED.

#### Reported That They Will Again Go On Duty At Duryea.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., August 15.—The 25 deputies and employees of the Warkawashy at Duryea who were arrested yesterday afternoon charged with plotting and committed to jail in default of \$2,000 bail each, were given a hearing in habeas corpus proceedings today and released upon furnishing a bond of \$10,000 for the entire party.

John T. Lenahan, counsel for the prisoners, furnished the bond.

Immediately after their release the deputies took a train for Duryea, where it is said they will go on duty again.

#### DIED AT MIDDLETON.

MIDDLETON, New York, August 15.—Laurel R. March, a noted spiritualist and medium died here this evening.

#### WARSHIPS OFF NANTUCKET.

NANTUCKET, Mass., August 15.—The battleship Massachusetts, Alabama and Kearsarge and the cruisers Olympia and Brooklyn, with the dispatch boats Mayflower and Scorpion, anchored just off

Hanoverfield light ship at 7:30 this evening apparently for the night.

#### WANT TO SETTLE HERE.

#### French Sisters Make Application To The Vatican.

ROME, August 15.—Members of the religious orders expelled from France, especially sisters, are applying to the various authorities for permission to settle in the United States; several of them having come to Rome personally for the purpose of urging their requests.

A reply has been sent to them pointing out that there are no vacancies in the United States and besides calling attention to the difficulty arising from the fact that the expelled sisters do not speak English.

Canada has been suggested as a better field, as sisters are comparatively scarce there, and because French is spoken in a large area of the dominion.

The applicants, however, did not take kindly to the suggestion and persist in their requests to go to the United States.

#### BASEBALL.

The following is the result of the baseball games played yesterday:

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

No games were played in the National league, on Friday.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia 11, Detroit 2, first game; Philadelphia 5, Detroit 2, second game; at Philadelphia.

Boston 2, Chicago 1; at Boston.

Baltimore 1, Cleveland 5; at Balti-

more.

Washington 6, St. Louis 2, first game;

Washington 2, St. Louis 1, second game; at Washington.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Fall River 4, Lawrence 2, first game; Fall River 8, Lawrence 2, second game; at Fall River.

Lowell 6, Manchester 3; at Lowell.

Haverhill 5, Dover 10, first game, Haverhill 12, Dover 4; second game at Haver-

hill.

Nashua 8, Concord 10; at Nashua.

#### BOYACA TAKEN.

COLOMBIAN REVOLUTIONISTS CAPTURE GOVERNMENT GUNBOAT.

SAN JOSE DE COSTA RICA, August 15.—News has reached here from the camp of the Colombian revolutionists in the Agua Dulce district, that after a naval engagement, the Colombian gunboat Boyaca was captured by the revolutionists.

Three hundred government soldiers, Generals Ortega and Hidalgo, and supplies of munitions of war and provisions were captured with the Boyaca.

MAINE GOES TO NEW YORK.

GOVERNMENT TRIAL TRIP WILL TAKE PLACE

August 22.

PHILADELPHIA, August 15.—The new battleship Maine left the Cramps ship yard late this afternoon, and will proceed to the New York navy yard, where she will be docked, scraped and painted.

It is expected that the Maine will sail for Boston next Wednesday, and on August 22 the government trial trip is scheduled to take place off the New Hampshire coast.

Twenty Rainy Days.

ST. SWITHIN'S day is in the calendar is July 15. If it rains on that day, so an old proverb says, it will continue to rain for the succeeding forty days.

This year it rained on July 15. Of the proposed number thirty of the days have passed, and although it has not actually rained on every one of those thirty days, the prophecy has made a fair attempt to fulfill the contract so far.

If the average of rainy days in the last thirty continues for the next ten, the proverb, taken in its literal sense, may be said to have come true.

Regarding the record of this season in comparison with other years, the persistency with which the rainy days have followed each other has been decidedly unusual. The daily average rainfall since St. Swithin's day up to the present is 13 inches, and, not taking into account those days when it was cloudy, misty nor when it sprinkled, on more than one-half of the days it rained.

But the persistency of the rainy days has been the chief characteristic of the season. The actual clear days, besides being few in number, have been fairly well isolated, so that no good spell of clear weather has come. Portsmouth, to speak, has had no chance to get thoroughly dried out between the storms.

The following table shows a comparison of rainy and clear days, with the daily average of rainfall:

July 15 to August 13

Rainy days ..... 20

Clear days ..... 10

Total rainfall ..... 3.89 inches

Average rainfall ..... 13 inches

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## EASTERN DIVISION.

Summer Arrangement  
(12 Miles, June 16, 1902.)

## Leave Portsmouth

For Boston—3:47, 4:30, 7:35, 8:15, 10:45, 1:15 a. m., 1:38, 2:21, 3:05, 5:00, 6:35, 7:25 p. m. Sunday, 3:47, 8:00, a. m., 2:21, 5:00 p. m.

For Portland—7:35, 9:55, 10:45, a. m., 2:45, 5:22, 8:50, 11:20 p. m. Sunday, 8:30, 10:45 a. m. in 8:50, 11:20 p. m.

For Wells Beach—3:32, 9:55 a. m., 2:45, 5:22 p. m. Sunday, 8:30, 10:45 a. m.

For Old Orchard and Portland—7:25, 9:55, a. m., 12:45, 5:22 p. m. Sunday, 8:30, 10:45 a. m.

For North Conway—9:55, 11:16 a. m., 3:00 p. m.

For Somersworth—4:50, 7:25, 9:45, 9:55, 11:16 a. m., 2:40, 3:30, 5:20, 5:30 p. m. Sunday, 8:30 a. m., 1:30, 5:00 p. m.

For Rochester—7:35, 9:45, 9:55, 11:16 a. m., 2:40, 3:00, 5:22, 5:30 p. m. Sunday, 8:30, 5:00 p. m.

For Dover—4:50, 7:25, 9:45 a. m., 12:20, 2:40, 5:22, 8:52 p. m. Sunday, 8:30, 10:45 a. m., 1:30, 5:00, 5:52 p. m.

For North Hampton and Hampton—7:30, 7:35, 8:15, 11:05 a. m., 1:38, 2:21, 5:00, 6:35 p. m. Sunday, 8:00 a. m., 2:21, 5:00 p. m.

For Greenland—7:35, 8:15, 11:05 a. m., 6:00, 6:35 p. m. Sunday, 8:00 a. m., 5:00 p. m.

Trains for Portsmouth.

Leave Boston—6:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:40, 10:10 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 3:15, 3:30, 4:45, 7:00, 9:45 p. m. Sunday, 4:30, 8:20, 9:00 a. m., 6:40, 7:00, 9:45 p. m.

Leave Portland—1:50, 9:00 a. m., 12:45, 1:40, 6:00 p. m. Sunday, 1:50 a. m., 2:45, 5:40 p. m.

Leave North Conway—7:25 a. m., 10:40, 3:15 p. m.

Leave Rochester—7:15, 9:47 a. m., 12:49, 4:50, 5:30 p. m. Sunday, 7:00 a. m.

Leave Somersworth—6:35, 7:32, 10:00 a. m., 1:02, 4:50, 5:44, 7:28 p. m. Sundays, 12:30, 4:12, 6:38 p. m.

Leave Dover—6:55, 8:10, 10:24 a. m., 1:40, 4:25, 6:30, 9:20 p. m. Sunday, 7:30, a. m., 1:45, 4:25, 9:20 p. m.

Leave Hampton—7:55, 9:22, 11:54 a. m., 2:13, 4:26, 4:59, 6:16 p. m. Sunday, 6:25, 10:06 a. m., 8:09 p. m.

Leave North Hampton—8:02, 9:28, a. m., 12:44, 2:19, 4:31, 6:05, 6:21, p. m. Sunday, 6:30, 10:12 a. m., 8:15 p. m.

Leave Greenland—8:08, 9:35 a. m., 12:06, 2:25, 6:11, 6:27 p. m. Sunday, 6:35, 10:18 a. m., 8:20 p. m.

## SOUTHERN DIVISION.

## Portsmouth Branch.

Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:

Portsmouth—4:32, 8:30 a. m., 12:40, 5:25 p. m. Sunday, 5:20 p. m.

Green Village—7:40, 8:30 a. m., 12:49, 5:33 p. m. Sunday, 6:29 p. m.

Rockingham Junction—7:52, 9:07 a. m., 1:02, 5:58 p. m. Sunday, 6:52 p. m.

Epping—8:05, 9:22 a. m., 1:16, 6:14 p. m. Sunday, 6:08 p. m.

Raymond—8:17, 9:32 a. m., 1:27, 6:25 p. m. Sunday, 6:18 p. m.

## Returning leave

Concord—7:45, 10:25 a. m., 0:25, 3:30 p. m. Sunday, 6:25 a. m.

Manchester—8:32, 11:10 a. m., 0:30, 4:20 p. m. Sunday, 8:10 a. m.

Raymond—9:10, 11:48 a. m., 0:35, 5:02 p. m. Sunday, 8:55 a. m.

Epping—9:22 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 0:08, 5:15 p. m. Sunday, 8:07 a. m.

Rockingham Junction—9:47 a. m., 12:16, 0:24, 5:55 p. m. Sunday, 8:27 a. m.

Green Village—10:01 a. m., 12:28, 0:38, 6:08 p. m. Sunday, 8:41 a. m.

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Up Middle street and up Islington street—Leave Market Square at 6:35 a. m., 7:05, 7:35 and half hourly until 10:05 p. m., 10:35, 11:05.

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